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TO : Chief, Industrial Division, ORR

DATE: 1 December 1959

FROM : Chief, Aircraft Branch, D/I

SUBJECT: Monthly Report for November 1959

I/AR

1. Status of Branch Projects

- ✓ a. Project No. 33.2740, Quarterly Estimate of Production of Aircraft in the Sino-Soviet Bloc, October-December 1959.

Responsible analyst: [REDACTED]
Report is on schedule.

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- b. Project No. 33.2743, Material for the International Production Conference on Sino-Soviet Bloc Aircraft

Responsible analyst: [REDACTED]
I/AR is assisting AFIC in preparing minutes of the conference which ended formal meetings on 20 November 1959.

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- ✓ c. Project No. 2061, Personalities in the Soviet Ministry of the Aviation Industry (MAP)

Project cancelled. SR assuming responsibility for special intelligence machine listing on personalities.

2. Status of Support Projects

- ✓ a. NIS 39A, Communist China, Section 64, Manufacturing and Construction

Responsible analyst: [REDACTED]
Review of AFIC Contribution has been completed.

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- ✓ b. Project No. 30.2204, Sino-Soviet Bloc Air Defense Capabilities

Responsible analyst: [REDACTED]
Contribution is on schedule.

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33.2745 - Aircraft Ind. of Com. China -

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3. Changes in Estimates

No changes of significance to report.

4. Relationship with Other Components

a. Chief, I/AR on 12 November met with the Ad Hoc Sub-Committee on Civil Aircraft Production Exchange. The Sub-Committee determined that the US would accrue a substantial technological and intelligence gain if the exchange was effected. The USIB Committee on Exchanges was so advised. ✓

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b. I/AR personnel participated in the [REDACTED] Aircraft Conference 17-20 November. The exchange of views and estimates by analysts while of interest did not cause any significant changes in our estimates of the situations in the Sino-Soviet Bloc aircraft industries. ✓

25X1A9a c. Representative of ATIC, Capt. Paul Wolfe, met with [REDACTED] I/PE and [REDACTED] I/AR on 18 November 1959 to discuss the USSR heavy press program. ✗

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d. [REDACTED] met with the branch on 30 November as an aftermath to the A-B-C Aircraft Conference. ✗

5. Future Plans

No change.

6. Problems and Recommendations

No change.

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